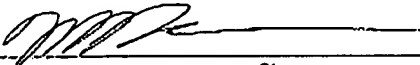


<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b> <b>(Small Entity)</b>			Docket No. <b>R535</b>
In Re Application Of: <b>Swanson</b>			
Serial No. <b>09/602,943</b>	Filing Date <b>6/26/2000</b>	Examiner <b>Lev</b>	Group Art Unit <b>3634</b>
Invention:  <b>Fully Adjustable Hunting Tree Stand</b>			
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A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27: <div style="margin-top: 5px;"><input type="checkbox"/> is enclosed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> has already been filed in this application.</div>			
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 <div style="text-align: center; font-size: x-small;">Signature</div>		Dated: <u>3/25/02</u>	
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